

JUDGMENT OF OUSTER

An Appeal Taken to the Court of Appeals.

The case of the state of Missouri, ex rel., B. Vermillion vs Chas. Lauderdale, respondent, was decided in favor of the plaintiff, Friday, and a judgment of ouster rendered. An appeal bond was executed and the case will go to the court of appeals. This is a case instigated by some of our citizens to oust Mr. Lauderdale from the office of Superintendent of water works, but as the case may not be reached for some time he will still continue in office. The case is the result of the passage of an ordinance by the city council which deprived the city collector from collecting water rents and receiving a commission therefor.

The Good of Revivals.

"What do you think of the big revivals being held all over the country?" a man of liberal ideas asked me. I think well of them, as I told him, because they stir up the thinking powers and emotions of men and women who have become calloused by sorrow, bitterness and depravity and men and women who are not affected by ordinary methods. The evangelists are very much in earnest and their ways are theatrical purposely. I believe—but they have interested multitudes and secured some from sloughs of despondency, into which they never fall again.—Ex

Frisco Granted New Trial in Suit in Barry County.

Attorney J. T. Woodruff returned today noon from Cassville, where he succeeded in obtaining a new trial in the suit of Mrs. Alta Lee against the St. Louis and San Francisco Railway company. Mrs. Lee was awarded judgment last week in the sum of \$12,000 by a jury in the Barry county circuit court. Her suit against the Frisco was the result of alleged injuries sustained in alighting from a Frisco train at Fitzhugh, Okla., last July. She alleged her spine was injured. She testified she had her baby in her arm at the time she fell.—Springfield Leader.

Engineer Joe Hilliard has traded his run for one out of Sapulpa.

Mrs. Ned Breese went to St. Louis Friday night to spend a week with relatives and friends.

Crumley Bros. north of town, have just finished planting a 6-acre field of strawberries.

Miss Blanch Carlin and Jim Willis, of Purdy, drove to Monett Friday.

Emmet Williams and wife, of Enid, Okla., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ben Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Cooper went to Purdy Saturday morning to visit over Sunday with relatives.

L. C. Kuklenski, of Peirce City, visited in the city Thursday.

Mrs. Wade and daughter Elsie of Joplin, are visiting Mrs. Walter Draper.

Misses Ina and Bess Boucher, of Purdy visited in the city Friday night.

Misses Marie Hayden and Louise Purdy visited in Monett Friday evening.

Mrs. Tritton has been seriously ill with pleurisy, but is improving.

C. H. Williams of Chester, Ark., was in the city on business Friday.

Robt. Means died at his home near Peirce City this week. He was over 90 years old and had been sick a long time.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. P. Burke and children went to Wentworth Saturday afternoon to visit relatives.

Landon Vance of Peirce City passed through Monett Saturday on his way to Aurora to attend the Athletic contests.

Prof. P. C. Callaway and John Farrow went to Aurora Saturday afternoon to attend the interscholastic athletic contest.

The Junior Christian Endeavor Society of the Christian Church gave a social at the home of Mrs. H. C. Kring Friday evening. About 65 young people were present and all report a pleasant time.

Shut Down Temporarily

E. O. Brown, manager of the Car Building and Construction Company received a message from General Superintendent Hancock of the Frisco, directing him to close down work in the yard and mill, except repairs to loaded cars in transit or light repairs on empties, until further notice. Mr. Brown expects a letter in a day or two giving further instructions.

This order means that over 100 men are temporarily thrown out of employment. It is hoped that the order will not be for any great length of time.

Contractor John Moses Had a Bad Fall Saturday.

Saturday afternoon while at work on the new berry crate warehouse in West Monett, John Moses fell from the scaffolding, a distance of about fifteen feet and sustained a severe sprain of his ankle besides several bad bruises about his body.

Had he fallen to the ground only he might not have been greatly injured but the scaffolding was erected over a deep, unused cellar on the adjoining lot and he fell into this and struck upon a pile of rock and rubbish.

The ankle sprain is very painful and will lay him up for sometime.

Resolutions of Respect

WHEREAS It has pleased the Supreme Oracle of the universe to call from labor to rest our dearly beloved Neighbor Minnie L. Card, who died at Neodesha, Kan., January 29 1909 and her body was laid to rest by Marilla Camp No. 1147, at Monett, Mo., therefore be it

RESOLVED, That in the death of Neighbor Card, her family have lost a devoted mother and Cape City Camp No. 2974, R. N. of A. a useful member, and

RESOLVED, That we tender our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved children, and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon our records, a copy sent to the family of our deceased neighbor and a copy given the paper for publication.

L. G. STOVALL,
Com. R. E. CLUBE
EMMA FAUST.

Mr. and Mrs. Stark returned to their home at Purdy Friday night after a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Port Rowden.

Miss Orpha Bayless returned to her home at Cassville Saturday morning after a visit with Mrs. Sam Clutter.

T. J. Rowden returned Friday night from a visit with his son, Gus Rowden and family, at Parsons, Kan. He says that the Maurer brothers, who used to be in the butcher business here are moving from Parsons to Sweetwater, Tex. where they have purchased a large tract of land.

Clark Surgine, formerly proprietor of a barber shop on the south side of the square, became connected with a local realty company this week, and will remain in Springfield. He returned recently from Ava, where he has visited since disposing of his barber shop.—Springfield Republican.

Miss Opal Armstrong entertained the Senior class of the High school at her home Friday evening. The interesting game of progressive peanuts was played until a late hour when dainty refreshments were served carrying out their class colors of green and white. Those present were Misses Mabel Moses, Geneva Parsons, Flora McCormack, May Randolph, Sarah Watson, Grace Whitlatch, Lillian Allen, Metta and Adah Nordin, Grace Johnson, Virginia Sheehan, Estella Brown, Edna Gordin and Olive Armstrong. Messrs. Edgar Price, Leslie Jackson, Earl Callaway, Edgar Bear, Boyd Grever, Ronald Campbell, Arthur Anderson, Chas. Hunt, Ernest Ferguson, Alfred Long, Charles Fowler and Edwin Johnson.

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INDIANS ARE NOT VANISHING.

Numbers as Great as Ever, According to Board of Commissioners.

The prevailing idea that the Indian is rapidly disappearing is far from correct, according to the Board of Indian Commissioners. The board has been here several days preparing its reports. The members say there are about 300,000 Indians in the county now, and that the best estimates hold there never were more than that number—even when Columbus discovered America.

It is true the Commissioners say, that many of the 300,000 are not full bloods. Moreover, the ravages of tuberculosis are becoming alarmingly great. The board, in its report to the Secretary of the Interior urges that a vigorous war be waged on tuberculosis among the red men, with increased hospital services, outdoor camps and more doctors. Late researches of Doctor Herdica of the Smithsonian Institution, show that in some of the tribes the ravages of tuberculosis are greater than among any other people of earth. The Sioux are most seriously affected, some of the Sioux subtribes showing 34 per cent of tuberculosis.—New York Globe.

County Court Proceedings.

County Court met Monday pursuant to adjournment with all the officers present.

E. A. Catron returned warrant for \$10 issued for railroad fare of boy to deaf and dumb asylum.

The bonds of the following road overseers were approved: J. R. Kinsler, W. U. Cooper, L. C. Goodnight, W. H. Lowe, R. M. C. Oakes, W. F. Atkins, Fred Cole, J. A. Paris, W. F. Patterson, Henry Birks, B. A. Schroeter, J. W. Rickman, Allen Marshall, T. W. Hickey, Henry Rine, E. B. Holman, T. J. Stockton, T. C. Hudson, A. P. Hagedorn, Wm. Holiday, A. S. Wesmoreland and W. M. McKinney.

O. P. Murphy was appointed road commissioner for north half of Flat Creek township, and Henry Kiag for the south half.

J. E. Couch was appointed road commissioner in district 6.

Mat. Cooper's bond as constable of Shell Knob township was approved.

John Crumley was appointed constable of Capps Creek township.

The court opened bids for the superintendency of the county farm, that were found to be as follows: W. H. Suttles, \$49 per month; T. L. Hankins, 50.00; S. P. Hilton, 60.00; M. R. Bayless, 50.00; J. H. Easeman, 60.00; S. P. Hailey, 50.00; T. W. Brown, 50.00; W. England 75.00; Phos. Lumski, 50.00; J. C. Lowe, 50.00; J. W. Shepherd, 50.00; H. F. Scroggins, 50.00; M. W. Coons 50.00; Davis Doty, 80.00. After considering all bids S. P. Hailey was appointed superintendent at \$59 per month.

W. J. Fleming was granted dram shop license at Monett.

Proof of publication of county financial statement was filed.

The vote on adoption of the special road law in Flat Creek township, was cast up by the clerk and judges of the court as follows:

For the law, 153
against, 170

Majority against 17
Road petitions of Otis Griffith and E. A. Harris were continued to May term.

Collector ordered to credit the merchants taxes of C. E. Apple for 1908, same being double, at Seligman.

Superintendent of county farm ordered to let Wm. Reed have Sam Lewellen, a boy now at county farm as a county charge.

S. P. Hailey filed his contract and bond as county farm superintendent.

Petition of F. S. Moore for change of road; change ordered.

County Surveyor Robbins was in the city Monday getting the boundaries of the tract of land in West Monett to be used for canning factory purposes.

Mrs. A. Folger, who had been visiting relatives and friends in the city for a few days, returned Monday to her home near Washburn.

To The Public.

MONETT, MO., 3-8, 1909.

To the MONETT TIMES:—

I find that the general public has from some cause or other obtained the wrong idea of my intentions by filing proceedings in the circuit court to obtain my rights under my father's will, and hence in order that I may have in the future as in the past the respect of my friends, I ask space in your paper to fully explain my actions.

A difference of opinion as to my rights under my father's will sprung up between myself and Dr. A. Jones trustee of the will. I contended that I was entitled to the rents and profits of my father's estate until my grandchild, Maxine Elliott Sturgis arrived at a suitable age for an education, then and not until then, did I believe Dr. A. Jones as trustee could set aside any of the rents and profits of said estate. I was forced to institute a suit for a construction of the will and Hon. F. C. Johnston on last Friday at Cassville handed down his opinion, and directions for the trustee and James Johnston as executor to follow in carrying out my father's desire. Judge Johnston declared that Mrs. Della Webb Pierce was entitled to her annuity of \$300.00 per annum as long as she remained the widow of my father, and that this amount was to be paid her as long as practicable out of my father's personal property, that all the rents and profits of the estate conveyed to Dr. A. Jones was for the present at least to be paid to me. My children joined me in this action and are all satisfied with the construction placed by the court. I never have, nor am I now seeking to deprive Mrs. Pierce of any part of the estate of my father willed to her, and I would be the last to even undertake such steps. She and I have always been the best of friends, and have never disagreed as to her right. After Judge Johnston made his order on Dr. A. Jones to pay me all back rents and profits of my

Respectfully,
MRS. ELLA STURGIS.

Hay for Sale.

Timothy-redtop and prairie hay loose, also prairie hay baled; three miles north east of Monett. Bell phone 918—31.

D. and W. 21.
D. P. ARNOLD.

That old cellar at the railroad crossing in West Monett is a nuisance and should be fenced in or filled up.

If a merchant uses envelopes printed by the government, what right has he to complain of the printer buying goods from a mail order house? Where is the difference?—Ozark Democrat.

Cough Caution

Never, positively never, cough. If you cough—even from a cold only—you should always heal, soothe, and suppress it with a studying poison. It is strange how some things finally come about. For twenty years Dr. Shoop has constantly warned people not to take cough mixtures or prescriptions containing Opium, Chloroform, or similar poisons. And now—a little late though—Congress says "Put it on the label. If poisons are in your Cough Mixture, Good! Very good! Hereafter for this very reason mothers and others, should insist on having Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. No poison marks on Dr. Shoop's labels—and none in the medicine, else it must by law be on the label. And it's not only safe, but it is said to be by those that know it best, a truly remarkable cough remedy. Take no chance then, particularly with your children. Insist on having Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. Compare carefully the Dr. Shoop package with others and note the difference. No poison marks there! You can always be on the safe side by demanding

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